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Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner in the Final Office Action, mailed on March 24, 2006, that finally rejected claims 6 to 10.

Applicants hereby request a **three-month extension of time** in which to file the Notice of Appeal from the final Office Action of March 24, 2006, for which a three month response period expiring on June 24, 2006 was set. The three-month extended period for response expires on September 25, 2006 (since September 24, 2006 is a Sunday).

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the 37 C.F.R. § 41.20(b)(1) Notice of Appeal fee of **\$500.00**, and to charge payment for a three-month extension fee of **\$1,020.00** to the deposit account number **11-0600** of **Kenyon & Kenyon LLP**. The Commissioner is hereby authorized as appropriate and/or necessary, to charge any additional fees, including any Rule 136(a) extension fees, or credit any excess fees to deposit account number **11-0600** of **Kenyon & Kenyon LLP**. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed for this purpose.

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